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**STATEMENT FROM MAYOR EMANUEL ON THE STATE SENATE'S OVERRIDE OF
GOVERNOR RAUNER'S EDUCATION FUNDING VETO**

“Governor Rauner's education funding veto brought together rural, suburban and urban educators and legislators in bipartisan opposition to the governor and in support of today's veto override. This diverse group of educators and leaders knows the Senate's education bill is right for Illinois children and the governor's veto is flat wrong. I want to thank Senate President Cullerton and the state Senators who voted on behalf of students and educators. The Senate's vote is a bipartisan rejection of the governor's divisive politics and of his repeated attempts to pit children with different backgrounds and from different parts of the state against one another.”

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